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Information and Resources

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DOCUMENTS (Section 2)

Presidential Documents

[Executive Order 13289 of March 12, 2003](#) — Added April 23, 2003

Establishing the Global War on Terrorism Medals

[Executive Order 13293 of March 28, 2003](#) — Added April 23, 2003

Establishing rules for the award of the National Defense Service Medal to Reserve Component Members

PERSONNEL POLICY (Section 3)

Key Employees — Screening the Ready Reserve — Added January 31, 2003

- [DoD Directive 1200.7](#) – *Screening the Ready Reserve*
- [Mobilization Delays and Exemptions](#)

Employer Information — [Register Your Employer](#): Guard and Reserve Employer Data

Medals/Awards — Added April 23, 2003

[National Defense Service Medal](#) — New eligibility rules for Guard and Reserve members

Global War on Terrorism Medals — Two new medals

- [Executive Order](#)
- [News release](#)
- [Global War on Terrorism Service Medal](#)
- [Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal](#)

PAY AND BENEFITS (Section 4)

[Federal Employees' Group Life Insurance](#) and Service in a Combat Zone
— Added April 23, 2003

[VA Benefits](#) for Guard and Reserve Members — Added April 23, 2003

[VA Benefits](#) for Surviving Spouse — Added May 28, 2003

[Free Mail](#) — Added May 28, 2003

HEALTH CARE / MEDICAL READINESS (Section 5)

[TRICARE Prime and TRICARE Prime Remote](#) — **NEW** Eligibility Rules for Families of Guard and Reserve Members — Added March 12, 2003

[News release](#) on TRICARE Prime and TRICARE Prime Remote for RC Families — Added April 23, 2003

Pre Deployment Health Assessment — Added April 23, 2003

- [DD Form 2795](#) — Pre Deployment Health Assessment

Post Deployment Health Assessment — Added April 23, 2003

- [DD Form 2796](#) — Post Deployment Health Assessment
- [DD Form 2697](#) — Report of Medical Assessment

[Post Deployment Healthcare](#) — Added May 8, 2003

VA Healthcare of Combat Veterans — Added October 21, 2002

- [VA Directive](#)
- [News Release](#)
- [Combat Vet Information](#) — Added March 12, 2003
- [Frequently Asked Questions](#) and Answers

[VA Study of War-Related Illnesses](#) — Added March 12, 2003

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